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What: 163rd Mississippi State Fair Event Schedule

When: Sunday, October 16, 2022

Where: Mississippi State Fairgrounds

Schedule of 163rd Mississippi State Fair Events for Sunday, October 16, 2022

STATE FAIRGROUNDS, Miss. – Commissioner Gipson invites everyone to attend the last day of the 163rd Mississippi State Fair, and announces the schedule of Mississippi State Fair events taking place today, Sunday, October 16, 2022. All events take place on the Mississippi State Fairgrounds.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16

No Ride Specials available for Sunday, October 16, 2022.

Scheduled Activities & Events for Sunday, October 16, 2022:

- o 9:00 a.m. MGA Open Dairy Goat Show Barn 7 & 8
- o 10:00 a.m. Gates Open
- o 10:00 a.m. 8:00 p.m. − Ag Expo & Genuine MS® Store − Trade Mart
- o 10:00 a.m. 10:00 p.m. Petting Zoo Mississippi Frontier Village
- o 11:00 a.m. 10:00 p.m. Biscuit Booth Midway
- o 12:00 p.m. Rides Open
- o 12:30 p.m., 4:15 p.m., 6:15 p.m., 8:00 p.m. Pig Races Mississippi Frontier Village
- o 1:00 p.m., 4:45 p.m., 6:40 p.m. West Texas Rattlesnake Show Mississippi Frontier Village
- o 2:00 p.m., 5:30 p.m., 7:15 p.m. Great American Wild West Show Mississippi Frontier Village
- o 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Frontier Village Train Depot Mississippi Frontier Village
- o 5:30 p.m. Live performance by T. B. Ledford and The Accumulators Main Stage
- o 5:30 p.m., 7:00 p.m. Zerbini Family Circus Kid Zone

- o 7:00 p.m. Live Performance by Bibletones Main Stage
- o 10:00 p.m. Gates Close

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Commissioner Gipson would like to remind fairgoers of several things to "Know Before You Go:"

- Gate admission is \$5.00 per person, and parking is \$5.00 per car. Children ages 6 and under will be admitted free of charge.
- Admission to concerts is free with Fair admission.
- Fair admission is free every weekday from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m., except on Monday, October 10, Columbus Day.
- Beginning at 9:00 p.m., any guest under the age of eighteen (18) seeking admission to the Fairgrounds must be accompanied by a legal adult (21 or older). Any guest may be asked to show official proof of age to be admitted after 9:00 p.m. Guests are encouraged to bring identification.
- When entering the Midway, all guests will proceed through one (1) of the seven (7) entry security points utilizing a metal detector, and/or be subject to magnetic wanding.
- All bags are subject to search. The maximum bag size that will be accepted into the Fair is 12"x12"x6".
- No outside food or beverage allowed.
- No marketing, soliciting, political, or vending items allowed unless and as authorized under Fairground regulations.
- Pursuant to state law, the legal carry of firearms by all lawful adults is recognized on the Mississippi Fairgrounds.
- No animals (other than service animals or as authorized by Fair management for Fair activities), banners, fireworks/explosives, or laser pointers allowed.

Today is the last day of the 2022 Mississippi State Fair. For a list of today's events including livestock shows, ride specials and latest information, visit www.msstatefair.com online or follow the Mississippi State Fairgrounds on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.